

Greetings!

It goes without saying that this has been quite the week! We at Westminster hope everyone is doing well and staying safe.

Reverend Lynn's book club will commence on Tuesday the 17<sup>th</sup> at 10 am by Zoom. Please confirm your participation by email so we can send an electronic invite. The first chapter of "The Greatest Prayer" by John Dominic Crossan will be discussed.

The 2021 United Church Calendars have been ordered and will be available at the Church office by the end of November. A reminder and price will be sent out upon their arrival.

This week's Minutes for Mission:

### **Transforming Young Lives and the World**

Inspiring young people to make the world a better place is the vision of The GO Project, a ministry of Islington United Church in Toronto. Since its inception in 2007, the project has welcomed more than 1,500 staff and participants in its children- and youth-focused ministries. Not only have the lives of young people been transformed, but Spirit-filled young people have also returned to their communities and their churches to help change the lives of others. In the words of one young adult staff member,

"The GO Project is unlike any other experience I've had or heard of. Working as part of an organization that is focused on faith in action for such a diverse group of people and communities has taught me so much about myself, my faith, and the world around me. The GO Project takes what we as Christians may have learned from a fairly young age about faith and puts it into practice on the street in a way that is accessible to anyone and everyone. "

The GO Project has begun creating a new generation of both lay and ordered ministers within The United Church of Canada. Your gifts to Mission & Service have provided various grants to The GO Project and have indeed made the world a better place. If Mission & Service giving is already a regular part of your life, thank you so much! If you have not given, please join me in making Mission & Service giving a regular part of your life of faith. Loving our neighbour is at the heart of our Mission & Service.

Take Care Everyone and have a great week!